

BILLY SUNDAY GETS 'INSPIRING' GREETING FROM MIDSHIPMEN

Has "Time of My Life" on His Pilgrimage to Washington and Annapolis.

"INITIATED" INTO Y. M. C. A.

Made Member of Academy Organization in Rousing Cheers By Future Admirals.

BALTIMORE, April 4.—After Billy Sunday got through having what he called "the time of my life" in Washington yesterday he went to Annapolis and seemed to have the same sort of time.

It was Sunday's "rest day," and he was on the high seas from 8:10 a. m. to 1:10 p. m., and preached two sermons during that time.

His reception by the midshipmen was described as "inspiring" by the Baltimore newspapers who have gotten somewhat used to demonstrations for Sunday.

Rarely is a civilian allowed to speak to the midshipmen even a civilian preacher, except on Sunday mornings. It is even rarer that a civilian "breaks the ice," but Sunday did that.

Arriving as usual ahead of schedule at 3:12 instead of 3:20 o'clock, Sunday got to the Naval Academy grounds before officers sent to meet him had reached the railroad station. Lieut. Com. Sidney Key Evans, chaplain at the academy, soon found them and then Lieutenant-Commander Kurtz overtook them.

Declines to Go to Bed.

Mr. Sunday was asked if he didn't want to go to bed until 5 o'clock, when he was to address the midshipmen. He declined, and the whole crowd went to see John Paul Jones' tomb in the chapel, then to the Hall of Flags in Mahan Hall, back to Bancroft Hall to see the raft on which Richmond Pearson Hobson escaped from the Merrimac and then to the Officers' Mess, where a buffet luncheon was served. Back toward Bancroft Hall they went, stopping by the home of Captain Eberle, the superintendent.

The midshipmen filled Memorial Hall and a midship officer at the piano played "Stand Up For Jesus." There was no "Brighten the Corner" because Rodeheaver was left in Washington. Chaplain Evans introduced Billy, who spoke from a movable wooden platform.

In their eagerness the midshipmen who were seated moved up their chairs closer, scraping the stone floor with a fearful noise, but no more startling than the cannonlike boom made when Bill gave a mighty stamp with his foot to emphasize a point in the story "The Man Without a Country." The loose wooden platform, the stone floor and the high-pitched ceiling made an overwhelming loud sounding board for that stamp and it started even Ma Sunday.

"I never looked into the faces of a more manly looking bunch," Sunday began. "There is no skin milk and whey here. This is the cream of the country and you look it. I just met Lieutenant Fletcher, nephew of the admiral, who is from my home town in Iowa."

And here the boys let out a cheer which deafened the speaker. "How many of you are from Iowa?" he shouted when he could be heard and several hands went up.

Man Without Country.

"If I can help you half as much as you have inspired me," he said, "I will be perfectly satisfied," and then he launched into the story of Philip Nolan, the "man without a country," as he had once before in Baltimore. The boys, practiced in self-restraint, didn't break loose at first, but when Bill got off on the story of his conversion, removed the reading stand and the chair from the platform to have room for a demonstration of how the old White Stockings pitched twenty-eight years ago, the boys woke up as with an electric shock and were warmly enthusiastic until the end, when he prayed for the "spirit of 'Don't Give Up the Ship' in these boys, in whom the hope of our country's safety rests."

Ma Sunday told how she had lent "Daddy" to all denominations since she had made him a Presbyterian.

President Miles, of the Academy Young Men's Christian Association, then faced the crowd, raised his hands and gave orders for the academy yell, winding up with "Three Bill Sundays and three Ma Sundays."

This was done with a will, and Captain Eberle, Admiral Beatty, Commandant Underwood, and all the other officers joining in with full voice. This was called the "initiation," and it is said that few civilians and fewer women are honored with it.

It was but fifteen minutes before time to entrain for Baltimore, but the solid wall of midshipmen at the entrance hall proved irresistible to Sunday. "How much time have we got, Ma?" he shouted as he made a lunge for half a dozen of the nearest hands. He went the entire round of nearly 400 men in five minutes, waved a farewell to the boys who

banked the railing on the second and third floors, and was off at a trot for the car line.

Sunday's Soloists Amuse "Omo" Class

Homier Rodeheaver, shortster, trombone player, sleight-of-hand artist, and story teller, along with "Bob" Matthews, Billy Sunday's private secretary, and a pianist and monologist, gave a concert last evening at Hamline M. E. Church.

The concert was given under the auspices of the "Omo" class of the Brightwood Park M. E. Church, of which H. S. Omoheaver is teacher.

Rodeheaver was especially well received when he played trombone solos with Matthews at the piano. Mr. Matthews also made a hit with several piano solos.

HOSPITAL-POLICE CONTROVERSY OVER

Ambulance Speed Row Regarded as Closed by Authorities.

Police and hospital authorities today reiterated the ambulance speed controversy as a closed incident.

An understanding was reached between Commissioner Brownlow, Major Pullman, Dr. Harry S. Lewis, of Emergency Hospital, and Miss Edith L. Corbett, superintendent of Casualty Hospital, late yesterday.

As a consequence, the hospital authorities today indicate they will cooperate to the fullest extent with the police in preventing reckless operation of ambulances.

On the other hand, the police have reiterated their previous statement that a speed of eighteen or twenty miles an hour on the part of ambulances will not be regarded as an infraction of the District traffic regulations.

Guild to Meet to Make Bandages for Wounded

The war relief committee of the District Branch of the Needlework Guild of America is to make bandages and surgical dressings for wounded soldiers on Friday morning at the Church of the Covenant. All interested in the work are invited to participate.

Through the courtesy of the Rev. Charles Wood, a room has been placed at the disposal of the committee.

Contributions for the purchase of materials may be sent to any of the following officers: Miss Edith L. Corbett, Eleanor G. Du Puy, 2019 Q street, president; Mrs. Richard B. Watrous, 1717 Kilbourne place, secretary; and Mrs. Q. Thomas Dunlop Hayes, Chevy Chase Lake, Md., treasurer.

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LEGISLATURE OF MD. ENDS 90 DAY SESSION

Adjournment Comes at 3:30 This Morning, After Quick Passages.

ANNAPOLIS, April 4.—The Maryland legislature adjourned at 3:30 o'clock this morning, after a tempestuous ninety-day session.

The high lights of the session were the passage of a near State-wide prohibition bill and the defeat of the Baltimore annexation measure.

As a result of the prohibition legislation, voters in all wet cities, towns, and counties will ballot next fall on the retention or abolition of saloons in their respective localities. Each city, town, and county will vote as a unit. The votes in one county, city, or town will have no effect upon any other locality. The dry towns and counties will not participate in the election. The "drys" have all to gain and nothing to lose as a result of the balloting.

The defeat of the Baltimore annexation measure by use of the cloture rule in the senate and by subsequent recommitting of the bill to an inert committee has caused a storm of protest. The prediction has been freely made that the failure of the Democrats to redeem their campaign pledge to pass the annexation bill will cost them the next majority election, and probably the gubernatorial election.

The legislature appropriated \$3,000,000 for roads and about \$5,000,000 more for maintenance of State institutions. All but absolutely necessary appropriations were stricken out by the finance committee because the State faces a deficit of a third of a million dollars.

The closing hours of the session this morning were marked by the shattering of all records for the quick passage of bills. For several hours both houses worked at top speed, and passed three and four bills a minute in each body.

Contrary to all tradition there was no promiscuous hurrying of ink wells and bottles, books, pamphlets, journals, and bill files through the legislative halls at adjournment time. This was due to the firm hand with which President Campbell and Speaker Laird ruled the two houses and the presence of a squad of fifteen uniformed policemen from Baltimore. The last hours were lively and full of fun, but nothing approaching disorder or destruction of State property was indulged in by the joyous legislators.

CALLS LANDLORDISM MENACE TO NATION

Tax Reformer Says Only 15 Per Cent of Residents Own Their Homes.

In the District of Columbia, 15 per cent of the residents own their own homes, while the rest pay rent or are incumbents, according to H. Martin Williams, president of the District Tax Reform Association, who spoke before the Woman's Single Tax Club at the Public Library last evening.

"The majority of the people in this country have no stake for which to drill and prepare to defend when the time comes," said Mr. Williams. He said the most of the land of the country has drifted into the hands of a comparatively few owners, and that this spread of landlordism is a menace.

Mr. Williams asserted the country needs no added preparedness. He said this country, in case of war, could raise 5,000,000 men in thirty days.

PAINTS FISH AND IS HAILED BEFORE COURT

Woman Is Accused of Selling Faded, Passe Cod.

NEW YORK, April 4.—Annie Edelman appeared in the municipal court today because, it is said, she painted fish.

Cod, pickerel, and frozen mackerel, with their dry, purple gills crimsoned to a rosy red, were confiscated and destroyed yesterday by the board of health, following an investigation of Stand No. 86 Williamsburg Bridge Market.

Food Inspector Edward H. Lieber, who thought the roseate gills looked decidedly fishy, asserts that last Saturday he found Annie Edelman, supplied with a coal tar preparation, performing artistic work with a paint brush on the fish.

She was charged with selling impure food and more than 100 pounds of the fish were destroyed by order of Director Brown, of the Food and Drugs Bureau. Inspector Lieber alleges the rouge on the faded, fishy cheeks was to give a false appearance of freshness.

THIEVES LOOT HOME IN CATHEDRAL AVE.

Take Advantage of Family's Absence at Theater and Make Off With \$742.

Taking advantage of the family's absence last night, thieves ransacked the home of Alfred French, 2712 Cathedral avenue, and made off with jewelry valued at \$542 and \$200 in cash.

Central Office detectives and police from the Tenleytown precinct are working on the case.

Mrs. French, whose husband is connected with the office of the auditor for the State Department, said her son came home about 9:30 and noticed some of the clothing in his room had been disarranged. He thought little of it until his parents returned. It was then discovered that the kitchen door was standing open, and that the leaded glass in the side door had been broken. Every bureau and closet in the house had been ransacked, but the thieves left no clue.

Among the loot obtained by the thieves were a crescent-shaped pin set with eleven quarter-karat diamonds, six watches and chains, three gold pencils, a small pin set with a half-karat diamond, an antique coral bracelet, a gold necklace, and two rings.

An attempt was made early today to enter the home of Policeman Thomas E. Brashears, 1006 Ninth street northwest. Brashears was awakened about 2 o'clock to find a colored man on his back porch, attempting to open a window.

Brashears fired at the intruder, who, leaping over the porch rail, escaped. When the policeman followed, he found the burglar had abandoned a roast chicken in his flight.

Suffragists Entertained By Kate Gordon Chapter

Suffragists and their friends gathered last night at the Lafayette hotel and listened to a recital given under the auspices of the Kate Gordon Chapter of the Southern States Woman Suffrage Conference.

The program included a piano solo by Mrs. James J. Leving; a violin solo, by Mond B. Dickey; soprano solo, Mrs. Richard A. Brown; violin solo, Mrs. Raymond B. Dickey; soprano solo, Mrs. Charles Zurborn; and a piano solo, by Miss Emma C. Bender. The accompanists were Miss Adele Robinson, Mrs. George Metcalf, and Mrs. Charles Brooks Smith. The program also included a dance by Miss Sylvia Metcalf.

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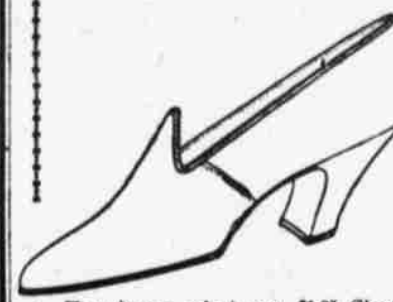
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